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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Attorney for Applicant(s) hereby requests an extension of time of two (2) months in which to respond to the Action which was mailed October 11, 2002. Upon granting this request Applicant's response will be due on March 11, 2003. Please charge the \$410.00 fee and any additional fees, and credit any overpayment, for this Extension of Time to our deposit account number 04-0500. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

It is respectfully urged that this request is proper and that it be granted to provide the additional time necessary to formulate a satisfactory response to this Official Action. It is believed that by granting this request further prosecution of this application will be expedited and Applicant's interest in achieving the best possible protection for his invention can be best achieved.

March 10, 2003

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner of Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on March 10, 2003, Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 (Modified). 24 Patent/References, Response to Office Action, Extension of Time, along with a postcard receipt.

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